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Max Moskowitz declares that:

1. I am the managing partner of Ostrolenk, Faber, Gerb & Soffen, LLP (hereinafter "Ostrolenk") and have held that position continuously from a time commencing prior to January 1, 2002.
2. Ostrolenk has not at any time on or after January 1, 2002a employed the services of Morgan Stanley Mail Services in connection with the rendering of any service whatsoever.
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5. Prior to September 23, 2003, responsibility for the application and the physical file had been transferred to Steven Weisburd at Dickstein Shapiro Morin & Oshinsky, LLP. I understand that Mr. Weisburd will make any necessary statement about the contents of that file.

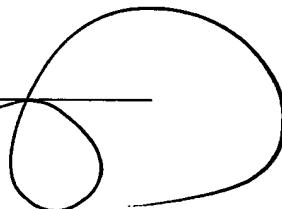
6. Had an Office Action relating to the above-identified application been received by Ostrolenk on or after September 23, 2003, it would have been forwarded to Mr. Weisburd within a few days of receipt. Ostrolenk has no documents mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office in 2003 relating to a matter transferred to Mr. Weisburd in its possession.

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Dated: July ¹⁴, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

By _____
Max Moskowitz

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Max Moskowitz", is written over a horizontal line. To the right of the signature is a large, roughly drawn oval shape.